

FAMOUS WORKS OF ART.



NATTIER'S "HENRIETTE DE BOURBON."

This portrait of Henriette de Bourbon, in the gallery at Versailles, represents her as "Hebe," the goddess of youth. In one hand she holds a shell-like goblet and in the other a gilded glass ewer filled with nectar.

Madame Louise-Henriette de Bourbon-Conti became the Duchesse d'Orleans. The portrait of the duchesse as "Hebe," by the same artist, now in the National Museum at Stockholm, is similar to that here reproduced. The

Stockholm picture has a garland of flowers crossing the breast of the woman and flowers in her powdered hair. The eagle of Jupiter is descending through the air with spread wings toward the goblet.

Jean-Marc Nattier was born in Paris, the son of an artist, in 1685. He died there in 1766. He was a member of the French academy. He painted for Peter the Great of Russia a picture of the battle Poltava.

BOOKS RECEIVED
AT STATE LIBRARY

The following books were received at the Virginia State Library from April 22 to 29th:

Maxwell's The Creeper Papers. In two volumes.

An Autobiography. Herbert Spencer. In two volumes.

Constructive and Preventive Philanthropy. Joseph Lee.

The Care of Destitute, Neglected and Delinquent Children. By Homer Folke. Brackett's Supervision and Education in Charity.

Murphy's The Present South.

Ely's Evolution of Industrial Society.

The Encyclopedia of Ceramics.

Catalogue of Illinois State Library.

Burk's Peerage, Baronage and Knightage. 1904.

American Newspaper Annual, 1904.

The English Catalogue of Books. 1903.

Learned Literature of American History.

Precious Metals, 1901.

Lippincott's Pronouncing Gazetteer of the World.

The Action of the City of Fredericksburg in Relation to the Location of the State Female Normal School.

The Report of the John Crerar Library, 1903.

Report of the Auditor of Public Accounts of Virginia, 1903.

Meat and Meat Products. 1903. Frank H. Hitchcock.

Forest Fires in the Adirondacks in 1903. H. M. Suter.

De Mexico a Honduras.

Poblacion de la Republica de Costa Rica. (Presented by Biblioteca Publica de Heredia.)

Clyde Gentry.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

MALVERN HILL, VA., April 30.—Mr. Clyde Gentry a much esteemed young man who was born and raised in Charles City county but who has been working for the Virginia Life Insurance Co., died in Richmond, April 27th. Death resulted from heart trouble. Mr. C. Gentry's wife survives.

Rexrode-Dudley.

MONTEREY, VA., April 30.—The pleas-

ant country home of Mr. E. A. Dudley, Crabbottom Valley, was the scene of a quiet wedding Thursday morning. The groom was Dr. C. P. Rexrode, a prominent young physician of New Hampden, and Miss Margaret, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Dudley.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. John Ruff former pastor of Highland Churches, now of Augusta county.

The young couple will spend their honeymoon in eastern cities.

Dwelling Burns.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

MONTEREY, VA., April 30.—The dwelling-house of Mr. James K. P. Eye, near Monterey, was destroyed by fire yesterday. Nothing was saved but a portion of one bed. Mr. Eye is a laborer with a large family, and much sympathy is expressed for him. There was no one at the house when the fire started, and its origin is unknown.

All Together.

The time of the singing of birds is come and the voice of the turtle is heard in the land. Also the crack of the but—

CHASE CITY
ENTERPRISE

The Virginia Furniture Company Preparing to Do a Large Business.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

CHASE CITY, VA., April 30.—The stockholders of The Virginia Furniture Company held a meeting this week and elected George A. Endly, president; J. M. M. Gregory, vice-president; and W. H. L. Nelson, secretary and treasurer. It was resolved to increase the capital stock from \$25,000 to \$50,000. This company has extensive new buildings, an artesian well, modern machinery, skilled artisans, and all facilities for a first class furniture manufactory. Its output has already been engaged.

SYSTEM THAT PAYS.

The listing of personal property in this county has heretofore been very imperfectly done. The new Commissioner of the Revenue has gone to work systematically, and thinks the personal property list in his district will show an increase of over \$100,000. Numbers of people now list an income to be taxed, who heretofore never thought of it, or were not required to do it. There are two districts in the county and the revenues will be greatly increased from a more efficient assessment.

The Kershaw Manufacturing Company has bought the Lord & Watson site, and with increased capital will make everything that is turned out from wood, and used for cotton mills, and manufactory of agricultural and mechanical implements. This will be an enterprise of some magnitude and already a track from the railroad has been put down and a large quantity of new machinery received.

FINE WATER SUPPLY.

The water for this company is furnished from a small lake nearly on the summit of a hill, formed from numerous springs, and in case of severe droughts never lessens in volume. It has no stream flowing to it. The springs are under the expanse of water.

The Bank of Mecklenburg has moved in its new building which is one of the best equipped and attractive in the county. C. Haskins, Jr., is cashier, and a most courteous and efficient official.

The Military Company here are endeavoring to perfect arrangements to erect an armory. The equipments and supplies already furnished them by the government are all stored in a track and properly cared for in the present contracted quarters furnished by the town.

As it is a very efficient and creditable company, and the only one in this section it is hoped proper encouragement will be given along the lines indicated.

SPRING IN GLOUCESTER.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

GLOUCESTER, VA., April 30.—Three veritable summer days have at last graced the year 1904. These, together with fine showers of rain, will make the land rejoice, and in a few days Gloucester will be "a thing of beauty"—a

joy forever." She always is to those who live within her borders.

The leaves are just beginning to show on the forest trees and their tender green contrasts beautifully with the darker tints of the pines and the cedars, which were so restful to the eye in the past long cold winter.

The fruit in Gloucester, though injured, is by no means destroyed, unless this cherry crop may be excepted.

Miss Leah Talliferro, of Dunhammasse, gave a church social on Friday, which was a delightful affair.

Misses Kate Clifton and Eleanor Benson gave a dance at the "Hotel Bontour" on Wednesday.

Rev. and Mrs. Braxton Bryon and Misses Della Bryan, of Hampton, and Mrs. Holmes Conrad, of Winchester, who have been spending some days at "Eagle Point," guests of Mrs. Joseph Bryan, left on Thursday.

Mrs. Nannie Deane Smith, of Norfolk, is at Rosewell, guests of Judge and Mrs. Fielding Lewis Taylor.

Miss Margaret Mauph, of Baltimore, is at Dunhammasse, guest of Miss Leah Talliferro.

Mrs. S. S. Hepburn, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Snowden Hopkins, of Waverly, has returned to Ashland.

Miss Margaret Tabb, who spent the winter in Baltimore, has returned to her home "Newstead," on the York river.

Miss Mary Page Lee has returned from a visit to Hampton and Norfolk.

Miss Mary Rowena Watt has returned from Lancaster.

Misses Lolla Duval and Rebecca Lloyd Tabb left to-day for Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Watts spent part of the week in West Point.

WYTHEVILLE, VA.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

WYTHEVILLE, VA., April 30.—Circuit Court has been progressing rapidly in the disposition of the law cases this week, and on adjournment Saturday docket will be nearly cleared. Judge Jackson goes from here to Pulaski to open his court there Monday.

The fruit in this section is not as seriously injured by the late cold spell as was supposed, and the prospect now is for a fair crop.

Mr. J. E. Farish, the contractor and builder of the new court-house, is here making estimates for the large department store to be erected by Owens Kent.

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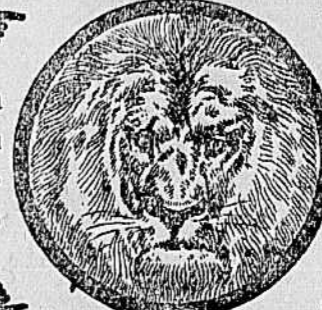
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TWO GREAT CONTESTS

The first contest will be on the July 4th attendance at the St. Louis World's Fair; the second relates to Total Vote For President to be cast Nov. 8, 1904. \$50,000.00 will be distributed in each of these contests, making \$100,000.00 on the two, and, to make it still more interesting, in addition to this amount, we will give a Grand First Prize of \$5,000.00 to the one who is nearest correct on both contests, and thus your estimates have two opportunities of winning a big cash prize.

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WORLD'S FAIR CONTEST

What will be the total July 4th attendance at the St. Louis World's Fair? At Chicago, July 4, 1893, the attendance was 253,275. For nearest correct estimates received in Woolson Spice Company's office, Toledo, Ohio, on or before June 30th, 1904, we will give first prize for the nearest correct estimate, second prize to the next nearest, etc., etc., as follows:

1st Prize	\$2,500.00
2nd Prize	1,000.00
3rd Prize	500.00
4th Prize	250.00
5th Prize	100.00
10 Prizes	50.00
20 Prizes	25.00
50 Prizes	10.00
100 Prizes	5.00
250 Prizes	2.00
500 Prizes	1.00
1000 Prizes	.50
2139 Prizes	
TOTAL	\$20,000.00

PRESIDENTIAL VOTE CONTEST

What will be the total Popular Vote cast for President (votes for all candidates combined) at the election November 8, 1904, in 1904 election, 13,935,633 people voted for President. For nearest correct estimates received in Woolson Spice Co.'s office, Toledo, O., on or before Nov. 8, 1904, we will give first prize for the nearest correct estimate, second prize to the next nearest, etc., etc., as follows:

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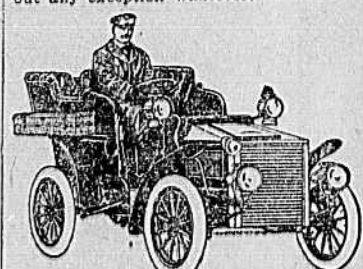
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